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Police release photos of suspect in January bank robbery attempt *Reward of up to \$1,500 offered for information*

Howard County police are releasing bank surveillance photos from an attempted robbery that occurred late last month and are asking for the public's help to identify the suspect. Detectives are offering a reward of up to \$1,500 for information in this case.

On Jan. 28 at approximately 11:47 a.m., a male suspect with his face partially covered entered PNC Bank in the 7200 block of Cradlerock Way in Columbia, approached a teller, implied a weapon and demanded money. The suspect fled before the teller complied. Nothing was stolen. No one was injured.

The suspect was described as black male, 30-40 years old, and five feet seven inches to five feet eight inches tall.

Detectives have been actively investigating but have been unable to identify the suspect. At this time, he does not appear to be responsible for any other cases. The investigation is ongoing.

The department is offering a reward of up to \$1,500 for information in this case. Anyone with information should contact police at 410-313-STOP or HCPDcrimetips@howardcountymd.gov.



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